

What is claimed is:

1. An electric tape cutter that feeds a leading edge of adhesive tape wound on a reel from a delivery outlet and cuts it to an appropriate length with an electrically driven blade provided at the delivery outlet, wherein in order to prevent eccentric rotation of a pinion gear that has a magnet affixed thereto and is connected to a drive source, a fitted member of equal weight to the magnet is embedded in the pinion gear at a location that is symmetrical to the position at which the magnet is provided, with the axis of rotation of the pinion gear therebetween.

2. The electric tape cutter as described in claim 1, in which a material of the fitted member is brass.